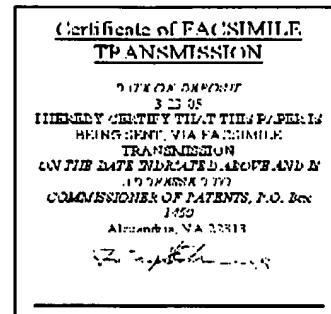


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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This amendment and response is being timely filed within the six month statutory period for response set in the Office Action dated September 23, 2004. A petition for three month extension is enclosed herewith.

Reconsideration and allowance of the application is respectfully solicited based on the remarks set forth herein.

**Listing of the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.